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Victoria, September 26th, 1894.

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Goods must be sold; no reasonable offer will be refused
Fixtures for sale.
New York Clothing and Gent's Furnishing House,
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MORE FIGHTING IN COREA.

Tong Haks, Most Desperate Anti Foreigners, Attack the Japs at Taku.

No Torpedoes Were Used by the Japanese in the Naval Battle at Yula.

London, Sept. 27.—A Shanghai dispatch to a news agency states that the native officials claim to have received news on the 25th inst. that in an attack by Japanese troops upon the Chinese at Manchow and Ki Ku the Japanese were repulsed after sharp fighting.

The British steamer Pantheon, seized by a Chinese warship in Formosa channel, the owners say, had on board nothing that was liable to seizure as contraband of war.

A Yokohama dispatch states that the Tong Haks, a powerful religious sect, which caused the first outbreak in Corea, have attacked the Japanese at Taku. Reinforcements have been sent from Seoul to assist the Japanese forces at Taku. The Tong Haks are the most bitter of any of the Coreans against foreigners, and constitute the most powerful revolutionary element in the country.

A Tokio correspondent of the Central News says Admiral Ito, commander of the Japanese fleet during the engagement on Yalu, has sent an officer to the emperor at Hiroschima to make a verbal report of the engagement. The officer's report gives a vivid description of the battle, which he says was extremely hot at times. As the warships went down, he says, the crews clung to the rigging and cried for help. He adds: "The sight was a most pitiful one. The Japanese packet Saiko Maru during the action had her steering gear disabled by a shell and was obliged in her flight to pass between two powerful Chinese cruisers, both of which discharged torpedoes at her, but too low to do any injury. A shell from the Chinese fleet exploded in the sick bay of the Japanese cruiser Hisei, killing and wounding many and setting the ship on fire. The Japanese used no torpedoes. All the damage sustained by the Chinese was by shot. At sundown the Chinese fleet was in full retreat. None of the Japanese vessels were lost and only three injured.

A Shanghai dispatch says that an official telegram sent by the Taitai from Port Arthur to Wei Hai Wei conveys the information that the Chinese warship Chi Yuen steamed away before the fighting at Yalu began. Admiral Wing, who is at Port Arthur, wires that two torpedo boats are missing. The four others which were up the Yalu river came out into the sea after the battle was over. The admiral adds: "We discovered ourselves surrounded and attacked on all sides." Three thousand Chinese troops are on their way down the Yang-tse-Kiang river, bound north.

Cable News.

London, Sept. 27.—Chamberlain said today with reference to the stand taken by Gladstone upon the local option question that the ex-premier's position would free many members of the Liberal party who had been coerced into voting for the local veto power. He predicted that if the veto bill was brought up at the next session it would cause a split in the party. Chamberlain said Gladstone's personal friendship for him had not lessened. He visited Gladstone recently.

The Times says Olcott's plan of re-organizing the Reading Railway company is almost sure to fail.

The British steamer Dorunda is ashore at Peuiche. She was bound from Brisbane to London.

The recent appeal for harmony, issued by President Emmett, of the National league in America, was endorsed by the London branches of the Irish National league of Great Britain at a meeting held last night.

AN OLD FEUD REVIVED.

Judge Combs the Latest Victim of a Famous Feud.

Pineville, Ky., Sept. 27.—The famous French-Eversole feud has been revived. Letters received here yesterday state that Judge J. H. Combs, father-in-law of J. C. Eversole, was shot down and killed at his home at Hazard, Perry county, on last Sunday morning at five o'clock. The assassin was hiding in a patch of corn across the village road from the judge's house. Judge Combs was standing in his yard talking to friends when the shot was fired. The bullet struck him in the heart. Judge Combs was sixty years old. He had been liked generally. Two attempts had been made to assassinate Judge Combs heretofore, but they were unsuccessful. It is probable that this murder will start the feud afresh. Perry county is practically now without railway and telegraph lines. The French-Eversole feud, from first to last, has cost over thirty lives.

BLACKWELL'S TAX COLLECTORS.

They Refuse To Go Up Against a Thousand Armed Men.

Uniontown, Ky., Sept. 27.—The men enlisted by Captain Blackwell to coerce the taxpayers of Caseyville and Lindle precincts have lost courage and are deserting, and it will be impossible for him to recruit enough men to capture the rebellious precincts. The deserters say there is not sufficient money in the coffers of Colonel Preston to induce them to go up against one thousand armed men with repeaters, shot guns and revolvers, charged with shells each of which contains an immense slug. Blackwell is preparing a manifesto of peace, which he will issue. This will first be submitted to the legal counsel of Colonel Preston and John Leland, of Owensboro, and it will, he hopes, soothe the angry passions of the people. Blackwell would certainly have invited death had he entered the two percincts at the head of a posse. It is believed that the bondholders will now try to effect a compromise by which the debt will be settled on long time and easy payments.

NANAIMO NEWS.

New Seam of Coal Struck on Protection Island.

Nanaimo, Sept. 27.—There is much satisfaction expressed in the city in consequence of another immense seam of coal having been uncovered in the Protection island main slope. The significance of this find is important, not only to the New Vancouver Coal company, but to every resident of this city. Nanaimo and its entire population depend solely upon these mines, so that it is essential that a supply of coal for both the home and foreign markets be sufficient to meet the demands. Sometimes through poor reports from the mines or lack of shipping the early residents express their doubts as to the prospects for the future of the city, and in consequence the want of faith stops, to a great extent, the progress that should go on, but when a big find like the above is made known it gives place to rejoicing and progress makes another big stride. The seam in question has been struck after many weary months of prospecting, carried on under trying circumstances, although it was well known to the management that the coal lay under the harbor somewhere. However, it was a difficult question to solve as to how far the company would would be reached. It was on Monday night that the first sign of coal was brought to view, and it was further developed during the next twenty-four hours. It was then discovered to be of the same quality as the famous No. 1 seam and about four and a half feet thick. This fact was circulated throughout the city yesterday, and every person appears happier for the good news. The seam has a pitch of about fifteen degrees, and runs, according to reports, in the direction of what is known as "Jack's point." On this point it is eventually expected a shaft will be sank to connect with Protection island and the Esplanade shafts.

Willie and Louis Good, sons of Indian Chief Good, were brought before the magistrates yesterday, charged with shooting cattle. After hearing the evidence the magistrates concluded that the case could not be dealt with summarily, and so dismissed it, leaving it in the hands of Chief Stewart to deal with.

The Thompson-Grey case was further adjourned till Friday next to enable all the witnesses to appear.

The Nanaimo district agricultural show has been postponed from September 29th to October 6th so as not to clash with the Cowichan show.

M'KINLEY ON THE STUMP.

All Wrongs Freely Credited to the Democratic President and Congress.

Claims That the Country Was Prosperous Under His Ruinous Policy.

Findlay, Ohio, Sept. 27.—Governor McKinley opened the Republican campaign in Ohio in a speech here to-day. He compared the Republican administration with the present condition and said the administration voted out of power in 1892 was the best the country ever had. The Democratic party had been in control of the government for nineteen months, and this period had given the American people a sample of free trade. Many who heretofore were loud in condemnation of the Republican party were now eager for a change. He cited the action recently taken by the sugar planters of Louisiana, and said he did not know what this might mean for the future of politics, but he could not but commend this patriotic action. He then reviewed the work of the present congress and severely denounced the low tariff bill. He then referred to some recent utterances by the president on the tariff, and said they meant constant agitation of the tariff question until the 4th day of March, 1897, at least, and for two years after, unless the people in the elections this year selected a Republican house of representatives. A Democratic victory, he declared, meant further and longer steps in the direction of free trade. Referring to the Wilson bill, he said that if it had become law it would have created an annual deficit of from forty to seventy million dollars. He declared the manner in which the measure became law was enough to condemn it. He declared the new tariff bill had improved no American interests unless it be the sugar and whiskey trusts. It had not started a single new factory and whatever industry it would quicken lies beyond the seas. Passing to the financial problem, the governor said our present embarrassment did not come from too little money nor too much, nor from the character of the money in use, but from the stoppage of wages by the closing of industries. He referred to the clause in the new tariff bill renewing the treaty stipulation of 1875 by which sugar from the Sandwich islands is to be admitted free, and wanted to know if the treaty stipulations with the Sandwich islands were more sacred than the contract made with the citizens of the United States by the tariff law of 1890.

AN UN-AMERICAN BODY.

United States Senate Likened to the House of Lords.

St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 27.—At South St. Paul yesterday Congressman Hall, in accepting a unanimous re-nomination by the Democrats of the third district, made a remarkabel arraignment of the United States senate. After suggesting that the Democrats take general action looking to the election of senators by the people, he said: "The startling and scandalous disclosures connected with the opposition to the repeal of the Sherman law and the reform of the tariff made during the past year justify the demand for the reconstruction and reorganization of the United State senate. It stands now, like the British house of lords, an impediment to all progression, the bulwark of special privileges, and an almost insuperable obstacle to every honest reform. It is an un-American body, neither chosen by the people nor responsible to the people and is not responsive to the people's will. The elections of United States senators have become carnivals of legislative debauchery. So open and shameless have they become that many are of the opinion that the state prison ought to adjoin the state capitol, with only the grand jury room as the connecting link between them."

FORTUNE IN A WARDROBE.

Seventy-Five Thousand Dollars Found in a Chest.

Pittsburg, Pa., Sept. 27.—While an old wardrobe that had stood for fifty years in the house of the late David Morrison, of No. 225 Western avenue, Allegheny, was being moved yesterday the bottom fell out, and with it came $75,000 in bank notes and government bonds. Morrison died thirty-five years ago. His widow refused to tell her relatives anything about his affairs. They thought he had nearly $100,000, but she disclaimed all knowledge of it. The secret of the hiding of the money died with her last month. John Fitzsimmons, one of the four heirs, who lives at No. 1637 North Seventeenth street, West Philadelphia, settled up the affairs of the woman and began moving the furniture yesterday. As the men were carrying the wardrobe from the garret, where it had stood so long, it fell to pieces.

Australian Elections.

Melbourne, Sept. 27.—The election for members of parliament which took place Tuesday resulted in the return of 28 ministerialists, 54 oppositionists and 13 independents. Ministers O'Loughton, Baker and Richardson and Speaker Bent were defeated for seats in the house.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

FOR RENT—At a bargain, the Russ House, with bar, billiards and room furnished to desirable party who can buy furniture. Inquire on premises from 2 to 4 p.m.

TO THE ELECTORS.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN: At the request of a number of voters of this city, I beg to announce myself as a candidate for School Trustee at the coming election.

J. R. McKENZIE.

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All claims against this institution up to and inclusive of 30th September are to be rendered not later than 1st of October. A statement of account (if any) to accompany the same. Address to HON. TREASURER, Care H. M. Yates, Secretary, 6 Bastion St.

Victoria, September 26th, 1894. s27-1w

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Orders for changes in the reading of advertisements must be handed in to the Times office before 10 a.m. to insure insertion the same day. New advertisements displayed, will be received up to 3 p.m. and small ads. until 4 p.m. Merchants and other patrons will aid us a great deal by observing these rules, as the work of re-setting requires time and care, and cannot be done satisfactorily when the paper is being prepared for press.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

LOST—A ladies' switch between Broad and Pembroke streets, last Saturday night. Finder will please leave at Times office. sept 25

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TO INVADE SALVADOR.

General Ezeta and His Confederates on their Way South.

San Francisco, Sept. 26.—When the steamer St. Paul sailed for Mexican ports yesterday she carried as steerage passengers General Bolanos and Captain Bustamente, the San Salvadorean refugees. When Ezeta left the two here last Sunday, it was with a promise to meet them again on the Sal Salvadorean frontier. Both men accepted the situation and prepared to follow their leader at the first opportunity. Bustamente received $40 from his chief, with instructions to meet him in Mexico. To Bolanos was entrusted over $6000. His destination is Guatemala. With that sum it is said Bolasnos is to begin to raise an army and be prepared to co-operate with his chief.

They took passage in the steerage in order to save as much money as possible. Mexican Consul Coney accompanied Bolanos and Bustamente to the steamer and introduced them to Captain von Helms. Instead of being put in the steerage they were given a cabin on the upper deck. Near to their quarters was the stateroom of General A. Martinez, of the Mexican army. Martinez is a great friend of the president of Mexico, and he and the men from San Salvador at once fraternized. Martinez is one of the leading generals of the Mexican army, and it was said on the St. Paul that he was sent up here to render whatever assistance he could to the refugees.

From present appearances Ezeta will make Guatemala his base of operations. During the last war San Salvador compelled Guatemala to come to terms, and she has been seeking a chance to get even ever since. With an army organized in Mexico Ezeta might march into Guatemala and there join Bolanos, who would have prepared the way for him. Then, upon a favorable opportunity, they would invade San Salvador.

The Salvadorean government professes little hope of having Juan Cienfuegos returned to it. Attorney Pierson, who has represented San Salvador in the extradition proceedings, said to-day that he did not think Cienfuegos would be returned. He has no appeal except to the president, but strong influences are being brought to bear in that quarter for his release. Mr. Pierson says there is nothing in the rumor that Ezeta was in danger of re-arrest on the other charges had he not left the country. The government had taken the only step against him that it intended to take.

El Paso, Tex., Sept. 26.—General Ezeta, who has just defeated extradition proceedings against him at San Francisco, passed south into Mexico yesterday.

JAPAN'S NAVY.

Most of the Ships Were Built by the Japanese.

San Francisco, Sept. 26.—"One of the most interesting things about Japan's navy," said T. Matsu, a young official of the Mikado's government at the Palace hotel last evening, "is that the fact that many of the vessels which are figuring conspicuously in the present hostilities were built in our own dock yards. It may be interesting to the people of America to know that the Hashi-iata, to which Admiral Ito transferred his colors after the Matsushima, his former flagship was damaged, was built at Yokosuta and was only completed within the past year. The Akitusu, which has taken a prominent part in the recent naval engagements, is a cruiser of very high speed and was built at the same shipyards, as were also the Yayluma and the Takao. The Akagi, Oshima and Chokai, which are probably taking the most active part in the naval engagements, are all vessels of modern type, well armed and fitted with the latest appliances and best armament. All the product of the Japanese skill and labor and built at home.

"The engagement of the 17th will, doubtless, prove a great benefit to the men who built navies, and the knowledge that has been imparted by the result will doubtless be shown in the future type of war vessels. It has demonstrated the destructibility of the torpedo, the efficiency of the small cruiser has also been placed in interesting comparison with the battleship. It was the torpedo that sunk the enemy's ships in the engagement off the Yalu river and the importance of the torpedo as an instrument of warfare was almost as vividly portrayed in the Brazilian revolution. It is the torpedo that is to be feared rather than the shells from the enemy's guns and the fact will induce a great deal of thought in modelling the future type of warships.

"Modern tacticians and naval architects have over-estimated the importance of battleships of enormous size. Battleships of large dimensions, the cost of two or three fleet cruisers, is at a big disadvantage in naval engagements. The fight off Yalu has demonstrated that it is as vulnerable when hit by a torpedo as a cruiser. Again it cannot be manoeuvred with the agility of the cruiser, and stands greater risk of being blown up. I believe that recent events in the Orient have demonstrated the importance of speed in war vessels. High speed can only be attained by sacrificing to a certain extent the offensive and defensive powers of the vessel, and as good man-I believe that naval architects will henceoeuvring has proved of almost paramount importance in naval engagements forth see the advisability of building smaller vessels of high speed."

WINTER ROUTE.

Southern Pacific to Run Another Fast Limited Express.

San Francisco, Sept. 26.—The Southern Pacific officials, who left for El Paso on a special train on Wednesday last to meet officials of the Atlantic system of the Southern Pacific system, have returned to this city. As a result of the conference the fastest railroad train in the country will [illegible] route between San Francisco and New York by way of New Orleans on the first of November. "We have arranged to place the Sunset limited on the road on the first of November," said Vice-President Stubbs, "and the time made will be equal to any express time between Chicago and New York. It is provided especially for winter travel to California, and will be maintained as long as patronage warrants it. Running time has been carefully figured out. The time between New Orleans and San Francisco is at present 106 1-2 hours. Two specials will cover the distance in 77 1-2 hours. That will give a quick service to New York in 119 hours and westbound, from New York to San Francisco, in 118 1-2 hours, which is within four hours and fifteen minutes of the time now made by way of Chicago."

QUEEN LIL WANTS DAMAGES.

Says the United States Mulcted Her of Two Million Dollars.

San Francisco, Sept. 26.—It is stated on what appears to be good authority that the errand of H. V. Widemann of Honolulu to this country is for the purpose of commencing a damage suit against the United States on behalf of ex-Queen Lil of Hawaii. The amount of damages to be asked for is said to be two million dollars and friends of the queen declare that this government has been instrumental in mulcting her to fully that amount. Her claims is that the [illegible] been established and herself deposed had it not been for the unwarranted action of a recognized agent of the United States, the captain of the warship Boston, which action was subsequently disavowed by the President. Whatever Widemann's action cmfwyp mfwyp cmf Widemann's errand is his departure from Honolulu was kept a profound secret until almost the moment for sailing, when he suddenly appeared on the deck and secured passage. Within a few days he will go on to Washington City where he does not deny he has business of importance to transact.

A DIFFERENT STORY.

Mrs. Peary Says Provisions Were Not Scarce.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 26.—Mrs. Peary, wife of the Arctic explorer, who arrived in Washington yesterday and is now at her mother's home, corrected some impressions formed about the Peary expedition to-day. "I am at a loss to understand the stories being printed about the scarcity of food suffered by the party," she remarked. "There was a plenitude of provisions, and only once last May, when the weather was too bad for the hunters to go out after deer for two or three days, did the supply of deer meat run out. Then we had seal meat. It is not so bad when properly cooked, but I should not like it as a steady diet. The sealers consider it excellent, however. We had an ample allowance of vegetables and farinaceous food and plenty of tea, and I really cannot overcome my surprise at the ridiculous stories about their shortage. I left Lieut. Peary with a plentiful supply of everything. Together we looked over the food and made an inventory, and if anything had been needed it would have been furnished from the ship's stores before the Falcon left. I did not want to come back. I regretted leaving very much."

"What kind of a winter did you have?"

"It was terrific. The storms were indescribable. The loss of a portion of our oil supply made our experience harder than it would otherwise have been. We lost half of our oil supply and were compelled to put up with short rations of fuel. It is a mistake," Mrs. Peary went on, "to allude to my husband as a seeker of the north pole. His object has been, and still is, to delineate the northern coast of Greenland. No one can tell how far Greenland extends northward, and Lieut. Peary says if it goes to the pole he will go there too, but no matter how high it runs he is determined to follow."

"Will you return to your husband next year?" queried the reporter.

"That depends on the American people. My husband and I have about reached the end of our resources in outfitting expeditions and have expended something over $50,000. I have made no plans yet, but will see the president of the American Geographical Society in New York shortly."

American News.

Sioux City, Ia., Sept. 26.—Masons of high degree from every city in the state participated to-day in the forty-sixth annual convocation of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of Iowa. Frederick M. Craig, of Des Moines, presided over the convocation, which assembled in the Masonic temple. The annual reports show that Masonry has made great strides in the Hawkeye state of recent years.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 26.—The state department received the following cable from the consul at Hamburg relating to cholera: "Latest official sanitary bulletin, covering September 11 to 17, reports eleven case and three deaths in East Prussia; thirteen cases and five deaths in the Vistula district, West Prussia; four cases and one death in the district of Nettie and Warth rivers, West Posen. The same bulletin, covering the 8th to the 14th, reports fifty-six cases and twenty-four deaths in Silesia. The consul reports infection in the district of Oppela, Silesia, and in Vistula and Nelze, and the disease is apparently decreasing."

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

THE EASTERN WAR.

An Alliance Between France, Russia and Japan Is Denied.

London, Sept. 26.—A dispatch from Shanghai says: It is reported that most of the Japanese men-of-war have left the island of Haiyantan. Their destination is unknown and there is great uneasiness here regarding their intention.

Chinese agents in Europe and the United States have been ordered to forthwith purchase any warships they can. Many vessels loaded with munitions of war are on their way from Hamburg and many other points.

The Daily Telegraph will say to-morrow that it has been authorized to deny that an alliance has been or will be formed, between Japan, France and Russia. The Times will publish to-morrow the following from its correspondent in Tokio: "Nothing is known here regarding the reported landing of Chinese troops on the Yalu river. When the Japanese fleet sighted the Chinese fleet no transports were seen nor were any seen during the fight. If the Chinese troops really did land the transports probably hugged the shore and went up the river."

The Japanese legation in London has received an official dispatch which says that in the battle off the Yalu river the commander of the Japanese warship Akaoi, two lieutenants on the Matsusima, one lieutenant on the Yoshino, one lieutenant on the Akiteusima, the paymaster and two surgeons on the Hiei and about thirty non-commissioned officers and seamen were killed. The dispatch otherwise confirms the Central News dispatch of the 22nd from Tokio.

Admiral Colomb in an interview to-day concerning the recent fight off the mouth of the Yalu river, said he thought that the battle tended to prove that moderate sized vessels were better even than great vessels, and that the result depended upon the men rather than upon the material of a vessel. The Chinese fared worse, he said, because the Japanese were a superior fighting race.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 26.—Yang Yu, the Chinese minister, has informed the department of state that he has received official dispatches from his government declaring that the two Japanese students apprehended in Shanghai some time ago had not been summarily beheaded, but were still under arrest pending an investigation. These two students were said to be making sketches and learning the streets of Shanghai for the purpose of furnishing information to their own government. They took refuge at the French consulate, and upon demand by the Chinese authorities the French consul undertook to deliver them to the American consul, who declined to receive them, as he had no authority to give them an asylum or to try them on any charge. The Chinese insisted on arresting them, and it was rumored that their heads had been promptly cut off.

DUELLING IN RUSSIA.

It Is Common and Has Become a Great Nuisance.

The new law promulgated lately by the Czar himself, according to which duelling is obligatory upon officers of the army, not only whenever they themselves fancy they have been insulted, but likewise whenever anybody else thinks they have, is, according to the St. Petersburg correspondent of the London Telegraph, already bearing fruit. Detailed accounts reach St. Petersburg every other day of duels between young officers who are intimate friends and never dreamed of offending each other, simply because, when joking among themselves, one of the party said or did something which, in the opinion of somebody else, ought to prove insulting. Thus we read of one young man being shot by another whose best friend he is, and with whom he had no quarrel of any kind, being compelled to call him out by the officers' "Court of Honor," which has been instituted in accordance with the recent imperial law; and of another promising young fellow in the south who is now disabled for the rest of his life because forced to fight with a comrade who never said a cross word to him. In all these cases, the alternative is fight or leave the army, and no one dares to choose the latter. At least no one had the courage before last week, when a very interesting case unfolded itself in the city of Kertch.

At a ball given by the local club there the leader of the dance was a young Lieut. P., who took possession of two vacant chairs—one for himself and one for his partner—in the vicinity of the orchestra. He then left the room for a moment, and on his return found the chairs occupied by a young civilian and his partner. He requested the latter to vacate the chairs and have others brought in their stead. But the civilian politely refused, [illegible] "I saw one of these chairs long ago," he explained, "before you came to them, and I cannot give them up. I am quite willing, however, to go and order a pair of chairs for you, which will be brought to you in half a minute." Thereupon the officers, who constituted more than half of the guests, threatened to leave the club in a body unless the young civilian was expelled then and there. The club committee refused to expel him, having no ground for such an extreme measure, and the officers forthwith left the club room and retired. Next day the commander of the regiment, informed of what had taken place, convened the court of honor and laid the matter before them. Among the witnesses were the young civilian and the lieutenant. Both deposed that no insulting nor even impolite language had passed between them, and the former further declared that nothing was further from his intention than to wound the feelings or reflect upon the honor of the lieutenant. The court of honor, however, decided that Lieut. P. must challenge the young civilian to a duel within five days or else leave the army. The young man, who was a favorite in the service, at once informed his seconds that he would send in his resignation, but would under no circumstances challenge a man who had done him no wrong. He had no abstract objection to duelling itself, which, since the new imperial ukase, had been taken under the wing of the orthodox church, but he has a decided objection to kill or maim in time of peace a man who has done him no ill whatever. The affair is causing a great sensation in military circles, where not one in a thousand would venture to imitate the example which most people admire as heroic.

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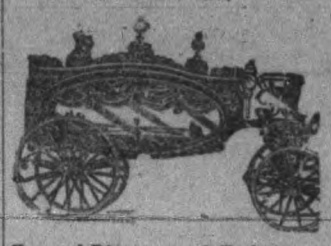

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EUROPEAN GOSSIP.

Condition of Alsace-Lorraine Since the Germans Took Charge.

London, Sept. 26.—The Statist offers a prize of £1000 for the best scheme for an imperial customs union. The Times, in commenting on the offer, adduces reasons compelling the conclusion that colonial and imperial interests would best be served by keeping the question of political and commercial union entirely distinct.

The Times says: If a customs union were formed on any other basis than free trade for revenue purposes, it would have to include the United States. In case of the colonies objecting to join any union which excluded the United States it would likely be insuperable.

M. Gautron, the liquidator of the affairs of the Panama Canal Company, states that the public has subscribed for about thirty thousand francs of the new issue of the bonds of the canal company. The subscriptions amount to less than one-tenth of the securities offered.

With the view of pacifying the people of Sicily the government has ordered that arms taken from citizens of Italy during the recent state of siege be restored to their owners.

The appeal of Paul Legga from the sentence imposed upon him for attempting to assassinate Premier Crispi in June last, has been rejected.

The admiralty are considering the scheme of manning subsidized merchant cruisers with officers and seamen of the Royal Naval Reserve. The scheme has already been referred to the board of trade and will be submitted to the various mercantile and marine boards. The details of the plan are not known, but it is understood that it is intended that crews of regular drill and discipline shall be engaged. Special contracts for vessels will be effected for the services of the steamers Teutonic, Majestic, Britannia, Cumbria, Empress of India, Empress of China, Empress of Japan, Himalaya, Australia, Victoria, Arcadia and others to the number of 26.

Mr. William O'Brien, M. P., in a speech at Dublin, declared that unless Lord Rosebery defined the position of the government in regard to the house of lords it was perfectly clear that the coming recess of the house of parliament would find the Irish party independent in the best sense of the word, and Lord Rosebery would soon cease to be premier. The Irish, he said, could not be bought with all the gold in the British treasury.

The police of Rome seized two loaded bombs in a house in the outskirts of Florence and arrested the maker of the bombs and his accomplices.

The Daily News, in an editorial leader, summarizes a series of letters received from its correspondent in Alsace-Lorraine, which province the writer has visited after a period of years. "The provinces," he says, "are not reconciled to Germany, and this is practically true of Lorraine, which remains Catholic and French. There is no liberty as we understand the term. The natives are admitted to observe their own religion and use their own language under certain restrictions, but these include the presence of German deliverers in the churches. What stifles the feeling of discontent in the Reichsland is the general passionate desire for peace. The populace have a terrible object lesson before their eyes. Metz a vast military camp and Mulhouse an immense barracks."

Strasburg is described as "truly awful." "Thirteen new forts," the writer says, "have been built since the war, and the place seems like a monster whose iron jaws are distended in a spasmodic grin of cannon reaching for miles. Much the same state of things exist at Kehl. The cost of feed and lodging at Strasburg has more than doubled since the annexation of the province to Germany. Trade is persistently dull. The civil population loses its sence of importance and the soldier dominates the situation. The whole administration is vested in a form of martial law."

European bourses are affected by the news of the czar's health, as he is recognized as one of the strongest supporters of peace. It is feared that in the event of his death his successor would seize the opportunity to secure naval ports on the Pacific and enlarge the boundaries in the direction of the Pamirs at the expense of China; either of which steps, it is believed, would easily precipitate war. On the other hand, a dispatch from St. Petersburg to-day denies that Russian troops have gone to Corea or that Russia has any intention of doing anything calculated to disturb the peace of Europe.

Considerable anxiety is manifested in the Catholic world concerning the health of Cardinal Vaughan, the eminent prelate of Westminster upon the death of Cardinal Manning. For some time past his failing strength has given concern to the priests of his immediate household, and recently after journeying to Newcastle for the purpose of preaching a jubilee sermon he was prostrated and confined to his bed at the residence of Mayor Stephen Quin for several days. It is said that hard and continuous study, together with his aesthetic mode of living, is responsible for his loss of health and strength.

DEATH IN AMBUSH.

Testing the Tradition of Rattlesnake Spring.

"If there is anyone in the world who knows how it feels to be snatched from the jaws of death, I am that person," said a New Yorker, who had been about the world a bit, according to the Sun. "That by no means enjoyable or enviable sensation came to me in Texas; and, by the way, it seems to me that if I were going to make a curious and varied collection of snakes, venomous and non-venomous, I would go to Texas any time elsewhere but take the first train to Texas myself, but during my journeyings in Texas I became involuntarily as familiar with a lot of assorted reptiles as though I had been a hard and inveterate consumer of the popular beverage with which many of the natives indulge themselves down there.

"But I only care to speak of one particular experience of mine with a Texas snake. This was a specimen of the ordinary rattlesnake that flourishes on the Texas plains. I made my first acquaintance with this interesting and cheerful reptile at the time the Texas Pacific railroad was being located through El Paso county. I was with the engineer corps that did the locating. Somewhere near the foothills of the Sierra del Diablo and the spot where we had our camp just then, there was a famous spring of cold and crystal water. It was called the Rattlesnake spring, because of the tradition, firmly believed in by the natives, that two big rattlesnakes were constantly on guard there. The water of the spring was alleged to have wonderful medicinal properties, but it was death to anyone who attempted to drink of it unless he first slew the two rattlesnakes, for, as the legend ran, the moment he stooped to quaff the water one or both of the deadly guardians of the spring would strike him from their place of concealment and fill him with their fatal virus.

"That a rancher had once been found lying dead with his head at the surface of the spring, where he had evidently laid down to quench his thirst, two purple incisions in his temple and his bloated body showing beyond question that he had been struck by a rattlesnake while lying in that position, was a well authenticated story in El Paso county, and the snake that had bitten him was killed in the rocks by the person who had discovered its victim.

"Still, I had my doubts that any of the venomous reptiles habitually lay in wait there for thirsty roamers, and one Sunday morning I resolved to go to the spring to investigate. I strolled in the direction of the Sierra del Diablo, whose gleaming peaks and rocky front were apparently not more than a rifle shot distant, so clean cut did they stand out against the clear blue sky, but they were a good ten miles from camp. I went alone on my journey, for the sufficient reason that no one would go with me.

"I found the spring. It was four miles from the foothills, in a rocky basin and the water came up in cool and tempting volume. I saw no sign of the presence of rattlesnakes, although the surroundings looked snaky enough, and no mistake. I was hot and thirsty, and after a close and careful scrutiny of all the rocks and scrubby bushes around the spring, I was satisfied that if the water was under the guardianship of rattlesnakes they must have gone off duty for that day. Yet if I hadn't been so terribly thirsty, I believe I should have come away without trying the water all the same; but as it was a tramp of six miles back over the hot and barren plain, to return without quenching my thirst was not to be thought of, and I prepared to lie down on the rock at one side of spring, just where they had found the dead and swollen ranchman I suppose. I brought my face so close to the water that I could see myself and everything about me reflected in the crystal depths as distinctly as if I had been gazing upon a French plate mirror.

"It was well for me that these reflections were so intense and vivid, for I paused a moment to gaze into the spring at the remarkable mirroring. Suddenly something that I at first thought was the reflection of a nodding twig or tendril, agitated by the brisk breeze that was blowing, shot back and forth, thrown into deep outline by the snowy bottom of the spring. But as I gazed my heart turned to cold and my thirst was forgotten. The swift moving, quivering reflection I had thought was a twig or a tendril was the mirrored reflection of the long and forked tongue of a snake, as it shot back and forth from above a shelving rock which, seen from above, hid the lurking danger from view. Coiled in a crevice beneath that sheltering rock, not two feet from one side of my head, and with part of its own front visible by reflection, was an enormous rattlesnake, ready to strike.

"For an instant I seemed paralyzed, but knowing that another instant's delay would probably be death to me, I ducked my head clear to my shoulders beneath the water, the position I was in making it impossible for me to rise quick enough to escape the danger. As I ducked I felt the snake strike. I wore a heavy wide-colored flannel shirt. The snake's fangs struck the shirt near the lower edge of the collar, not an inch away from my jugular. The instant I felt the strike I sprang to my feet. The hooked fangs of the reptile were fast in the texture of the collar, and as I got to my feet I raised the rattler with me. Its long body squirmed and contorted along my side and clear to my feet.

"I drew my revolver as quickly as I could and placing the muzzle against the reptile's head, blew it to pieces. The limp body of the reptile fell to the ground, but not much quicker than I fell myself.

"There seemed no more life in me than there is in a dish-rag. It was a good while before I got strength and nerve enough to get on my feet again. When I had recovered sufficiently I straightened the dead snake out. With its head off it measured two good paces long—not an inch less than six feet. It had sixteen rattles, which I took as a trophy and have to-day. I don't know whether this was one of the two alleged rattlesnake guardians of the spring or not, for I spent no time looking for another one. Neither had I the nerve to try again for a drink at the spring, but got away from there as soon as I could.

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MORE FREE TRADE.

Protectionists make the most of the fact that few countries follow Great Britain's free trade example, seeking to use this as a conclusive argument against the trade system that has done so much for the mother country. This argument, worthless as it is, will apparently be taken from our protectionist friends. It is not long since the people of New South Wales declared that they had enough of trade restriction and voted for greater freedom, and now the people of the sister colony Victoria have followed their example. Brief and incorrect dispatches received the other day stated that the elections in Victoria had gone in favor of protection, but in point of fact they went for greater freedom of trade. This is shown by the following more detailed report published in eastern papers:

Melbourne, Sept. 20.—The general elections in the colony of Victoria have resulted in the defeat of the protectionist administration and a great victory for free trade.

The election was fought mainly on the tariff issue in the form of protection against liberty of trade. Both sides were pledged in the event of success, to make vigorous retrenchments.

Prime Minister Patterson, in a manifesto to the electors, declared that if he were returned he would reduce the duties from the extreme rates of 1892, but without interfering with the policy of protection. The government, he added, desired to assimilate the Victorian tariff with the tariffs of the other Australian colonies, with the view to paving the way to a federal tariff and eventually to intercolonial free trade.

The leader of the opposition, in his manifesto, said the opponents of the government wished the budget deficit covered by extra taxation. The tariff, he declared, should be revised only after extensive investigation.

The government was opposed at the polls, not only by the regular opposition, but by the Reform League and the Free Trade and Democratic Associations, the members of which demanded the largest measure of free trade compatible with a balanced budget, with a maximum standard of duties of from 20 to 25 per cent. The latest returns this evening show the election of 28 ministerialists, 54 members of the opposition and 13 independents. Complete returns were received to-night. They show that several of the ministers were defeated.

Among the members of the defeated government was Hon. Robert Reid, who visited Canada some months ago. The Victorian tariff under the late government does not seem to have been extremely high, as it is estimated that the customs duties in 1892 amounted to about 13 per cent. of the total value of imports. The collections in that year were $2,234,735. One reason for the defeat of the protectionist government is probably to be found in the circumstance that during its term of office some 28,000 people have taken up agricultural and pastoral pursuits who were formerly occupied in other ways. As Australia is going Canada will surely go at next election.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Ottawa Journal:—A true story told of the late Christopher Finlay Fraser will illustrate that able man's sense. He was one day waited on by an influential priest from eastern Ontario and urged to give a place in his department to a young Catholic lad. Mr. Fraser used all the argument that ministers are accustomed to employ on these occasions to avoid promising the place. The department was already fully manned. There were many applicants ahead of the one whose cause the priest had in hand. But the clergyman was pressing. This was a particular case and he hoped the minister of public works would make an exception of it. Finally Mr. Fraser said: "Well, what is he adapted for, is he a capable fellow whom I can honestly recommend for a position?" "Oh," said the priest enthusiastically; "he is the brightest lad I have in the parish, well educated and energetic." Mr. Fraser replied, "That settles it, you would never condemn a clever young man, capable of great things to the unpromising career which this position entails. To be content with two or three hundred a year when in private life he could look forward to thousands would be a pity. You mustn't think of it."

"If it were worth while it would be very easy indeed to unearth the numerous scandals of 15 or 20 years ago," says the Colonist after an exhausting search for scandal material in the record of the Mackenzie government. That it is not "worth while" to attempt any "unearthing" is shown by the Colonist's decided failure even more than by the statement we have quoted. Only three poor substitutes for scandals can it find, the Neebing hotel, the steel rails purchase and the Anglin printing contract, all of which were employed and completely exploded in the campaign of 1878. Our neighbor must assume that its readers are either very young or possessed of very short memories when it seeks to palm off such rubbish upon them for the real article. Then it quotes Mr. Mackenzie's letter, in which he represents himself as defending the citadel, as if to emphasize the fact that its Tory friends not only failed to defend but actually threw open the doors and cordially invited the boodlers and the thieves to enter and appropriate the public property. Boodlers had no chance with Mr. Mackenzie, neither would they have with Mr. Laurier, as the Colonist well knows. The day of Connolly contracts and Curran bridges will soon be over.

A BALLET DANCER'S WEALTH.

The Property Left by Mdlle. du Vernay, of Ballet Fame.

The name of Mdlle. du Vernay, the mous ballerina of the early forties, is now, perhaps, forgotten. This lady, afterwards known as Mdme. Lyne Stephens—her husband a wealthy English banker—has just died at one of her mansions, Lynford hall, in Norfolk, England. In all probability she was the wealthiest lady in England. The dispersal of her effects will attract much attention. They include some historic tapestries, enamels, furniture and china, especially Sevres. This collection was formed many years ago, when Mdme. Stephens owned a palatial residence in the Champs Elysees. Mdme. Stephens, who was a member of the Roman Catholic church, will be remembered in England for her magnificent gift of a Roman Catholic cathedral to Cambridge, which cost in all some hundred and forty thousand pounds. Her estate at Rochampton, which includes some seven hundred acres, of which the value in building rents only would be easily worth twenty thousand pounds per annum, is, it is rumored, to remain in its present condition for another hundred years, under a clause to that effect in Mdme. Stephens' will. It will be remembered that some time back she gave a small portion of this property to a Catholic fraternity.

The Lady Who Shops
Will find a full assortment of the latest designs in fall dress stuffs at Partridge's, Lansdowne House, 86 Yates street. *

—Teeth extracted, 50c. each. Dr. A. Humber, 93 1-2 Douglas street. *

CORRIGAN'S PERSECUTORS.

The Archbishop of New York the Victim of Gross Calumnies.

Charges to be Investigated by Mgr. Satolli With Instructions From Rome.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 27.—It can be stated upon high authority that the scandal in and to the Catholic church that has been created by one faction bent upon discrediting and disgracing one of the most eminent and learned archbishops of the faith, and by another faction that has for its sole object the booming—to use a current slang expression—of another eminent dignitary of the holy church, has reached a point that, before many weeks, will call for the interposition, under explicit instructions from Rome, of Archbishop Satolli, the papal legate. Of this cross fire, which has been cruel as it has been relentless, Archbishop M. A. Corrigan, of the diocese of New York, has been the victim. Like all great men, in whatever calling or walk of life, he has made enemies, and it has been his misfortune that these enemies, while not numerous numerically, have been possessed of a sufficient combination of influence and cunning to not only secure an outlet for their animosity through certain secular papers of circulation and prominence, but also to obtain admission for their gossip and slander, inuendo and suggestion, through the crevices of the walls to the interior of the Vatican, and on the old adage that a lie well stuck to is as good as the truth, so the holy father and his immediate advisers have been time and again been well nigh convinced that where so much smoke existed a blaze of greater or less dimensions was inevitable. It is a notorious fact that there has existed for years in New York city a literary semi-bureau, with men of the cloth as its main supporters and contributors and the sole object of which has been to maintain the persistent and guerilla warfare against the eminent and honored archbishop. Sympathy, if no support, has been lent to this infamous and unchristian proceeding by the adherents and supporters of a Northwestern prelate, whose radicalism and alleged sympathy with popular movements rather than his devotion to the church forms his stock in trade, and who less than two years ago was responsible indirectly if not directly for a bitter attack upon Archbishop Corrigan, but which, after his motives had been discovered, flashed in the pan. The latest phase of this iniquitous campaign has developed itself in the recent letter printed over the signature of Father Thomas A. Ducey, pastor of St. Leo's church, in which he pledges his priestly honor to the truth of the statement that his daily attendance at the sessions of the senate investigating committee on police corruption was in response to instructions direct from Rome and that the Vatican was considerably exercised over the disclosures that had already been made concerning the association of Tammany with the blue coated law breakers. Inquiry and investigation have failed to bring to light a single fact indicating that Dr. Ducey has received any authority to appear officially or unofficially at the sessions of the committee even from a valet de chambre of the Vatican, and he has consequently placed himself in the position for no other apparent purpose than to vent once again his long standing hatred of Archbishop Corrigan and of endeavoring to stamp upon the church of which he is a divine the disgrace and dishonor of an alliance between his denomination and the corruptionists of the police department with its blackmail of prostitutes, of gamblers and of law breakers of every stripe and of every degree. No such degradation of a sacred calling has ever before been made manifest, and it has not required the undercurrent of suppressed but righteous indignation that prevails among the clergy of the New York diocese and has extended to prelates and priests of more than a dozen states to convince the papal legate that a point has been reached where his authority must and shall be exercised in order that the church may no longer be disgraced and its faith brought into disrepute in order that personal grievances may be aired and revenge be secured for imaginary wrongs. Just as recalcitrant congregations or factions are brought to time and compelled to manifest respect and obedience to priest or bishop as the case may be, so, it may be stated, is Rome and its American ambassador determined that the guerrillas of the New York diocese and their abettors elsewhere shall cease their bushwhacking. Just what method will be employed or steps taken by the apostolic delegate remains for the time being a secret to himself and to those from whom he receives his instructions, but it is nevertheless certain that those who have so long persisted in the effort to bring the Archbishop of New York under the ban will, whether they are priests or prelates, find speedily that their fusillade of vituperation and mud-slinging has recoiled upon themselves.

CURRAN MUST STAY.

Strong Opposition to the Proposed Substitute, Dr. Montague.

Ottawa, Sept. 27.—There is strong opposition coming from Roman Catholics over the proposed removal of Curran from the ministry to make room for Dr. Montague, thereby strengthening the hands of the Clarke Wallace faction in Ontario. It is therefore reported that the cabinet shuffle, like everything else on the programme, has been postponed.

Hon. J. S. Hall, provincial treasurer of Quebec, is here seeing Sir John Thompson. He told your correspondent that he had resigned his position in the cabinet on account of the financial policy which the Quebec government is pursuing.

Seventeen thousand people paid admission to the fair yesterday. The department of agriculture has been advised by report from British Columbia, where Prof. Saunders is at present inspecting the Agassiz experimental farm, that the tuberculosis test was appplied to a number of cattle and five slaughtered which were thus found to be affected by tuberculosis.

Hon. John Haggart and Mr. Collingwood Schreiber returned to-day from hte "Soo."

TROPICAL HURRICANE.

Florida Cities Flooded and Ruined by Great Winds.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 27.—The tropical hurricane has reached southern Florida and the indications are that it will move in a northeasterly direction along the Atlantic coast, probably reaching New York to-night. All the principal towns along the coast have been warned of violent gales and high tides.

The expected hurricane from the West Indies struck Jacksonville at 11 o'clock yesterday, with the wind blowing at a velocity of 46 mile per hour and rain pouring down in torrents. Business is absolutely paralyzed. The Everett house, the largest in the city, is unroofed and flooded with water. The loss is $50,000, and a number of persons are injured but none are killed. There is no communication from South Florida, but it is expected many Indian River orange growers are badly damaged and the orange crop damaged beyond calculation. The streets of Jacksonville are flooded, and the river is three feet above the normal. The wind at the mouth of the river recorded sixty miles an hour. Mayport river at its mouth is flooded, and several houses are inundated. No persons lost their lives there. Two houses in Jacksonville were blown down but no one killed. No trains are departing or arriving from Jacksonville. Many large washouts are reported.

The storm is increasing in violence at Savannah. The barometer is still falling and the wind here and at Tybee island has attained a velocity of twenty-five miles an hour. Government officers have gone down to the quarantine to inspect the damage. It is feared that the quarantine station will be entirely destroyed. It is believed that there has been a large loss of life at the Sea Islands.

WROTE FAMOUS SONGS.

Memorial to the Author of "Marching Through Georgia."

Friends of General Sherman, meeting at a New York dinner party not long ago, chanced to drift into a discussion of popular war songs, the famous "Marching Through Georgia" eliciting most attention.

"I wonder who wrote that song," said one of the participants in the festivities.

"It was written by a Hartford printer named Henry C. Work," answered a lady at the table, who had been listening to the discussion. At that meeting the idea of erecting a memorial in honor of the Union songwriter was suggested, and, according to the New York Times, there is every prospect of its being carried out by the New York and Hartford friends of the balladist, who died at Hartford, Con., ten years ago, and is buried in one of the old cemeteries of the city. The memorial is to be a granite pedestal with bas-reliefs in bronze, representing war scenes, such as Work's songs suggest. There will also be a bust of the author of the famous songs. The memorial will be erected on the City Park, south of the state capitol, and will occupy one of the most picturesque spots in Hartford.

Henry C. Work, the author of "Marching Thro' Georgia," "Wake Nicodemus," "Grandfather's Clock" and a score of songs popular thirty years ago, was born in the city of Middlesex, October 1, 1832, but was educated and made his home at Hartford through life. He learned the printer's trade at Hartford and worked at the case before he began his song-writing, not far from the outbreak of the civil war. One of his temperance songs, "Father, dear Father, Come Home"—was composed and published just before the war and was sung everywhere by the friends of cold water. "They've Grafted Him Into the Army" was one of his humorous songs that took like wildfire during the conscription period of the war. "Grandfather's Clock" was universally sung in the north for many years. But the words and music gaining the firmest hold were "Marching Thro' Georgia," and the singer's memory will be longest kept in the public mind by this famous ballad. Work composed the words and music of his songs. He made a fortune by his songs and wasted it in rash raising of "[illegible]" the plates of his balladswere destroyed in the Chicago fire in 1871. Mr. Work died June 8, 1884. Every Memorial Day his grave is decorated with flags and flowers by the friends of the Grand Army.

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BRIEF LOCALS

Gleanings of City and Provincial News in Condensed Form.

—Oil stoves at McLennan & McFeely's. *

—Guaranteed razors and outfits at Fox's, 78 Government street. *

—The provincial board of horticulture will meet on Monday at the department of agriculture.

—The rehearsal of the operetta, "Cupid Among the Flowers," will be held at the Victoria theatre on Saturday afternoon.

—The residence of Mrs. Dempster, Fernwood road is the scene this afternoon of an At Home under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. Members and friends of the Union will be welcomed.

—House cleaning is absolutely necessary; health must be considered; old things must be thrown away; new goods purchased. We can give you anything from paper to decorate your walls, carpets for your floors, to anything in the domestic line. Weiler Bros. *

Some months ago the rate of wages for sailors on coastwise vessels was cut from $30 to $25 per month. Now efforts are being made to further reduce the pay of the men before the mast. Some of the San Francisco owners secured men for $20 but they were captured by the union before the ships could leave.

—E. B. Rambo, of San Francisco, a prominent student of theosophy, will lecture at the theosophical headquarters, 28 Broad street, this evening. His subject will be "The Elder Brothers of Humanity," and theosophists and those interested in the belief are looking forward with pleasure to the opportunity to hear it.

—Harvest home services will be held at Christ Church cathedral this evening. The order of services is as follows: Processional hymn, "Come, Ye Thankful;" Proper Psalms, lxv., cxlv., cl.; Magnificat, Nunc Dimittis, clare, in D;" anthem, "Ye Shall Dwell in the Land," Stainer; offertory hymn, "We Plough the Fields;" processional hymn, "Rejoice Ye Pure in Heart."

—Reginald Matthews died at the Jubilee Hospital on Monday. The deceased was 34 years of age, resided at Plumper's Pass and leaves a wife and three children. He was taken sick upon the Fraser river and was brought here for treatment. The funeral will take place at 10 o'clock from the hospital and half an hour later from Christ Church cathedral. The interment will be in Ross Bay cemetery.

—William Murray, manager of the Bank of British Columbia at Vancouver, is in the city accompanied by his bride, who was Miss Cunningham, daughter of T. G. Cunningham, stock broker, of Glasgow. The marriage was solemnized at St. Luke's church, San Francisco, on Sept. 18, the bride being given away by her brother, who is an official of the San Francisco branch of the bank. Mr. and Mrs. Murray will spend a few days in the city before proceeding to Vancouver to take up their permanent residence.

—Three hundred boxes of apples badly diseased with codlin moth and a smaller consignment with San Jose scale, have been seized by R. M. Palmer, provincial inspector of fruit pests. The codlin moth has proved very destructive to the orchards of Oregon and other Pacific coast states, and the officials of the department of agriculture are making every effort possible to prevent its introduction here. British Columbia has only a few cases of the disease, and strenuous efforts are being made to stamp it out entirely.

—The salmon season in Alaska has come to a close, and it is estimated that the catch will aggregate seven hundred thousand cases, which, with what has already been sent down, will consume several months in shipping, says the Seattle Post-Intelligencer. It is said that an immense quantity has been shipped to China and Japan, and other foreign ports have also been large. The catch is larger than for some years past and the fish are large and of excellent quality. A large shipment will be made by the down-coming steamer City of Topeka and also by the Mexico, which went up last Monday. There were 2900 cases on the Chilcat to be shipped east from Tacoma by the Northern Pacific.

—Christy bread and cake knives at Fox's.

—Delmonico hotel, Milwaukee beer 5 cents. *

—Five cents buys a glass of cool Milwaukee beer at the Delmonico hotel. *

—Do you drink beer? Drink the best Milwaukee, five cents at the Delmonico hotel. *

—Double width black cashmere, three yards for one dollar at Partridge's, Lanwsdowne House, 86 Yates street. *

—Cards are out announcing the formal opening of the Pacific club on Saturday evening. The quarters are at 45 1-2 Fort street, the place formerly occupied by the old Victoria club.

—Special facilities for making blank books and doing extra calf and other superior binding at R. T. Williams, 28 Broad street.

—Perry, the bluejacket who accidentally shot his friend Breece on the flagship last Saturday evening, has been released from custody and is now on the sick list, the shock having made him seriously ill.

—H. M. S. Royal Arthur will probably go to Vancouver on the 6th inst. and remain for several days. The Satellite will have a steam trial to-morrow and will be inspected by the admiral next Wednesday.

—A panther measuring six feet from tip to tip was shot near the South Saanich picnic grounds this morning by F. W. Spotts. He brought it to town, got the government bounty of $7.50 and sold the carcass to a Chinaman.

—On Friday and Saturday evenings Victorians will witness one of the best entertainments that has been given in the Victoria theatre this season. Miss Pauline Johnson and George Smiley are both well known entertainers and have established a reputation both on this and on the European continent.

—A splendid collection of British Columbia fruit is being made up by the department of agriculture to forward to the Imperial Institute at London. The exhibit is being prepared with the greatest care, the fruits are varied, and the best raised in the province, so the display will be a very creditable one.

—Franz Boas, of the Smithsonian Institute, who has studied the habits of almost every Indian tribe on the North American continent, and who for the past seven years has been devoting his time to the coast Indians, is at the Oriental. He has spent several weeks among the Lillooet Indians, and is now on his way to Naas river and Fort Rupert, where he will remain for some time.

—The run of salmon in Puget Sound bids fair to be decidedly small this season. The Point Roberts canneries did not get nearly so many as they expected, and their steamers have been scouring the Sound to make up the deficiency. Myers' cannery on the tide flat has been running for the last three weeks and during that time has put up 15,000 cases, while if the salmon had been plentiful 20,000 cases could have been put up.

—John Archer, an old resident of British Columbia, died yesterday at St. Joseph's hospital of old age. The deceased was eighty years of age and came here from Cornwall, England, his native country, to the mines. A nephew, William Arthur, of Ladner's, and a niece, Mrs. F. Williams, of this city, survive him. The funeral will be held at two o'clock to-morrow, and there will be services at the Metropolitan Methodist church.

—Lieut.-Governor Dewdney has been advised by Lord Aberdeen that he will with his party arrive here on November 3. They will reach Vancouver on October 31, and will remain there until November 3, when they come here. The length of their stay here is not yet known, but it is presumed that it will last for several days. The matter of the reception of Lord Aberdeen will be taken up within a short time, now that it has been determined when he will arrive.

—After waiting for over an hour after the usual time a fair sized audience last evening witnessed a novel entertainment at the Victoria theatre. Anna May Abbott, the Georgia Wonder, was the entertainer, and she did many things that the scientific would find it hard to explain, although many theories are advanced. A committe of representative gentlemen occupied seats on the stage. She lifted half a dozen members of the committee at the same time, and then the same gentlemen tried to lift her, but without success. They could not take a stick out of her hands, while she pushed them around as though they were ninepins. The test of her power, however, was when she put a small boy in such a condition that a gentleman could not lift him. This is not the same Mrs. Abbott who visited Victoria several years ago, that lady having on Saturday night last in New York withstood the strength of Sandow, the professional strong man.

A Good Appointment.

Messrs. H. A. Shorey & Co., the well known Montreal clothing firm, and sole Canadian agents for Rigby waterproof tweeds, have appointed Messrs. Russell & McDonald provincial agents for the sale of these celebrated goods.

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TACOMA WILL RECIPROCATE

A Monster Excursion to be Run From the Up-Sound City of Destiny.

Meetings to Finally Arrange for the Opening of Victoria's Exhibition.

The board of management of the British Columbia Agricultural Association meets at the city hall to-morrow evening to make final arrangements for the exhibition, which is to be formally opened on Tuesday next. The reception committee meet this evening for the same purpose, and other committees are working just as hard to have everything ready in time for the opening. An idea of what the exhibition is to be can be obtained from the work that is now being done both in and outside of the building. Almost every manufacturer in the city, and many from the other cities of the province and the state of Washington, have secured space, and some of them have commenced to place their exhibits in position. Exhibits must be in their places by Monday at 9 a. m., but exhibitors are requested to have them in as soon as possible, so that Superintendent Lamberton can have the building in order for the opening on Tuesday. Machinery hall will be completed by Saturday night, all the space in this building having been secured for exhibits of machinery, principally agricultural implements. The live stock exhibit will be far ahead of anything ever before shown in the province, there having been a marked improvement each year in this line. There will be a parade of the stock each day.

Thousands of people will be present from outside cities, the association having arranged for the following reduced rates: Donald, B. C., to Victoria and return, single fare; Vancouver and Westminster and return, $2; Nanaimo and return, $2; special mainland excursion Wednesday and Thursday, $1.50; Seattle and Tacoma and return, $2.50, and reduced special rates from all other neighboring cities. On Americans' day there will be a monster excursion from Tacoma, the citizens of that city having decided to respond in a royal manner to the visit Victorians paid to that city last Saturday. The Tacoma Ledger, speaking of the excursion, says:

"As a return compliment for the handsome turn-out of people from British Columbia last Saturday to visit the Interstate fair, an excursion from Tacoma to Victoria is now being arranged for next Tuesday, October 2, Wednesday being American day at the British Columbia Agricultural Society's annual fair. The excursion will be under the auspices of the Interstate fair, the chamber of commerce and the Commercial club, and arrangements are being made by committees of the two last named bodies. The chamber of commerce committee consists of George E. Cleveland, Charles Hotchkiss and G. G. Chandler, and the Commercial club committee of W. P. Reynolds and E. C. Oliver. The steamer City of Kingston will take the excursionists from here on her regular run Tuesday and bring them back on her regular trip Wednesday night. If two hundred people join the party the steamship people will make a round trip rate of $2, which is by far the lowest excursion rate ever made from Tacoma to Victoria. The different committees will canvass the city to-day to secure pledges from those who are willing to go and ascertain if the number required to secure the reduced rate can be obtained. All interested in the matter are anxious to have a large excursion, because British Columbia people turned out so well to the fair here on the day set apart for them."

As usual, Victoria will do the proper thing in the line of sports. On Tuesday there will be bicycle races, the programme for which follows:

1. Mile novice race, 1st, gold locket; 2nd silver locket.
2. Quarter mile (standing start), 1st, diamond pin; 2nd, silver tray, presented by Mr. Wenger.
3. One mile championship, to be won twice at B. C. Agricultural Association Exhibition meeting, 1st, champagne bottle holder.

Half-mile (boys under 10), 1st, silver watch; 2nd, gold medal.

One mile open, 1st, bicycle watch; 2nd, gold medal.

Five mile handicap, 1st, gold locket; 2nd, fruit basket; 3rd, cigar case.

The winner of the city championship will the following day race a local horse half a mile; prize, a box of soap, presented by W. J. Pendray.

On Wednesday, American day, there will be baseball between Victoria and Seattle, football and cricket matches. Thursday, Canada's day, lacrosse, Victoria v. Westminster; Friday, Children's day; grand procession of two thousand children and chorus of five hundred voices singing patriotic songs; horse racing, purses $1000; grand ball in the large hall Friday evening. Saturday, Societies' day, grand reunion of fraternal organizations, for which excursions will be run from all surrounding cities at reduced rates, including admission to the fair; horse racing, purses $1000.

On Monday evening there will be a grand illumination of the city, which will be a fitting opening for the grandest celebration Victoria has ever undertaken.

There will be a big excursion from Wellington, Nanaimo and other points along the line on Friday. The Wellington band will come down.

The electric lighting plant was put in position to-day.

A circular is being issued by the board of trade requesting samples of products from exhibitors to make a permanent exhibit in the board of trade rooms.

Exhibitors are requested to make their entries as early as possible to avoid delays.

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Brief Locals.

—Rubber plates made for $15. Dr. A. Humber, 93 1-2 Douglas street. *

—Cool Milwaukee beer on draught at the Delmonico hotel; 5 cents a glass. *

—There will be a special meeting of the city council to-morrow night at 8 o'clock. A number of matters will be taken from the table and an effort made to dispose of them.

—There is a good deal of speculation among sealing men as to the size of the catch which the schooner Triumph will get this year. When last reported she had taken 2400 skins in the sea, making her catch for the season 3720. She was among seals and it was believed that she would get a few hundred more, although it is doubted that she will surpass the record, which was made in 1886 by Capt. Dan. McLean, who, with white hunters, took 4500 sealskins.

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TO THE ELECTORS.
LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—At the request of numerous voters of this city, I beg to announce myself as a candidate for School Trustee at the coming election.
sep21td BEAUMONT BOGGS.

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STORIES OF THE BUFFALO.

The Times When Many of the Animals were Slaughtered.

Before the Northern Pacific railroad had crossed the continent west of the Missouri river the section of the country bounded by that river on the east and the Rockies on the west, and stretching from the Platte, in Nebraska, northward to the British line, was the great stamping ground for buffalo in the whole Northwest. The country was more or less hostile in those days, and the Indians, who had been the best guardians, says a writer in the Globe-Democrat from Billings, Mont., of the bison until white pothunters came among them, soon gained the civilized idea of slaughter, and from that time on the doom of the representative American game animal was positively assured.

But the greatest blow dealt the bison herds of the Northwest was the completion of the Northern Pacific track west from Bismarck to the Rocky Mountains. The road practically divided the herds (for the bison will never, unless forced, cross the iron of a railroad track) and those to the south were soon swallowed up in the general slaughter waged by the Indians, pot, hide and tongue hunters, foreign sportsmen and others who were out to kill anything they saw on sight.

This was during the winter of 1882-83. The buffaloes to the north were in many scattered bands, but there was one great herd of not less than 75,000 head which had found a temporary refuge in the triangle formed by the Musselshell, Missouri and Yellowstone rivers in Montana, and as yet they had not been "smelled out" by either red or white hunters.

But they were as surely doomed as though already killed, for the railroad iron cut them off from their southern range, and the Indians of the Canadian Northwest, as well as those of our own country, barred their retreat into the far north, and so they were hemmed in [illegible] the two, with no possibility of escape in either direction.

To illustrate in a few words the remarkable destruction of that section alone it will only be necessary to say that this last great herd was completely wiped out of existence in less than four months, and before the close of the year there were but a few singles and pairs left as fugitives in that vast country where but a year or two before they could have been counted almost by the hundreds of thousands. The shipping figures from two points on the Yellowstone at the end of the season, Glendive and Miles City, show 800,000 buffalo hides sent from the former and 165,250 skins of elk, antelope and deer from the latter place.

It chanced, at the time mentioned, that the writer, with a small company of soldiers, was passing from the Missouri river country to the Yellowstone, and we came across, almost daily, numerous bands of Gros-Ventre, Piegan, Blackfeet and other Indians, all hurrying to the slaughter of the noble animals on the Musselshell.

Our scout or guide was a Crow Indian named Two Moons, and one day while threading our way through the bad lands, painted buttes and broken coulees a small herd of about six hundred bison came rushing into view around a bluff not more than two hundred yards distant, and with heads down and paintbrush tails erect they came plunging on directly towards us in the wildest sort of confusion. A genuine stampede was probably in full operation, and the soldiers, not waiting for orders, lost no time in placing a safe and reasonable distance between themselves and the threatened danger. They quickly shied off to the right, and I felt it my duty, at this "impending crisis," to keep as close to the heels of my fleeing comrades as the speed of my horse would permit.

Two Moons, the guide, either in a spirit of bravado or possibly under pressure of the exciting moment, sat perfectly rigid on his pony, and neither animal nor rider stirred a muscle until the plunging herd was almost upon them. Then, like a flash, the Indian whipped his Winchester forward, and the sping of the bullets could be heard as they rattled about the heads and shoulders of the leading bison. The ruse was now apparent. The sting of the lead caused the leaders to separate, for without halting or pausing in their mad rush, the herd divided as if cut by a knife, and went sweeping by like the wind, a moiety on each side of the scout.

The most remarkable thing about the whole performance was the quiet and tractable manner in which the guide's pony conducted himself while this fuss and uproar was going on about him. He never grew excited nor rebelled, but remained steady as a rock in his place until his master gave him leave to move.

[illegible] the last of the fleeing bison was well to the rear, and they soon disappeared beyond a neighboring knoll with the speed of an express train.

While watching them and debating whether a chase would be worth the trouble, from behind the bluff where the buffaloes had first appeared now came a second band of bison (about sixty in all) with a dozen well-mounted Cheyenne bucks in hot pursuit. As before, the animals came directly toward us, but our shoutings and hallooings turned them aside, and they shied off to the left, entering the jaws of a rough, broken ravine, which was precisely what their red pursuers wanted. The ravine was a sort of rift in the bad lands which practically led nowhere, but which we afterwards discovered narrowed and closed in until it ended in a steep, impassable pocket, with no outlet except by the original way of entry.

The Indians shouted to us as they rushed by and, rather interested in the outcome (as I suspected the nature of the ravine), I left the sergeant with the detachment and, taking the guide with me, followed swiftly on the heels of the flying Cheyennes.

Game and hunters soon disappeared in the [illegible] of the gorge, and as it was an exceedingly rocky and difficult trail, we took our [illegible] necessarily more slowly. Here again came into play the wonderful instinct and genuine "horse sense" of the cayuse plains pony. My mount was of the same breed as the one ridden by my guide, and I was really astonished to see with what ease the hardy little brutes made their way through the most inaccessible places. Either on the plains or among bad lands they are equally at home, and whether in the broad glare of day or in the depths of night they have never been known to lose their way on a trail after having once found it. An American-bred horse will plunge ahead fearlessly and not infrequently snap a leg in some half-concealed prairie dog hole; but the cayuse pony instinctively dodges such pitfalls, and keeps his rider dodging them, too, unless the latter is content to lose the saddle or perhaps put up with a broken neck.

We left our ponies to take their own course and every once in a while could see the Cheyennes far ahead, darting in and out of the canyon's windings, with the retreating bisons still in the lead. How the redmen ahead of us ever got over the ground so quickly was an unsolved mystery. When we had approached to within half a mile of them we saw the hunters pause, consult a few minutes, gesticulate wildly, and then they went on again very slowly. Reaching the point where [illegible] Gou had been held nothing was in sight. Neither Indians nor bisons were in view and all was as still as the grave.

But here the course began narrowing, and, besides the many huge boulders and rough cuts on every hand, the walls were steep and ragged, and covered with scrub cottonwoods and stunted growths, which completely concealed everything ahead of us.

Narrower and narrower became the gorge, and at last we paused to listen. There was scarcely a sound in the air, but this intense stillness became suddenly broken by a series of rapid shots and wild yells, accompanied by a thundering, rumbling noise which was almost deafening. The tumult rapidly grew louder, and then, just in front of us, from out the depths of the canyon came the buffalo herd like the wind, directly toward us. Some were bleeding, many were wounded, others were limping badly.

It never seemed possible that living brutes could travel over such rough ground with such speed, but the difficulties of the trail never seemed to concern them in the least, for as a matter of fact, the rear ones crowded the forward ones with such persistence and so rapidly that they had to move quickly or else be trampled under foot.

After this thunder cloud had passed, with feelings of great relief we went on up the canyon to see how the Indians had fared. It proved to have been a disastrous encounter for the Cheyennes, as many of them were limping and bleeding as badly as the stampeded buffaloes. A survey of the free frontier circus ground discovered seven dead buffaloes, three wounded Indians (one of them quite seriously) and six ponies killed and maimed.

It appears that after cornering the bisons in the furthermost depths of the canyon the red hunters had attempted to block their passage out and then commenced firing on them. The imprisoned brutes stood this punishment for a while, but at last, in sheer desperation, and maddened by wounds, they turned on their assailants and charged their way out in true cavalry style, with a loss of seven of their number. One of the seven slain bisons proved to be an ancient old bull that showed the marks and scars of eighteen wounds he had received in his long battle with humanity. This fact was discovered when he was skinned and cut up. Hump, the Cheyenne buck who led the assault, and who had dodged the sharp horns of at least a dozen of the animals, declared it was the pluckiest thing he had ever seen buffaloes do.

We assisted the wounded and dismounted Indians back to their camp, which happened to be about three miles distant from the bluff where they first came dashing into view, and after a royal feast of roasted steaks and a pleasant night's rest, next morning, bright and early, we resumed our journey toward the Yellowstone, which we reached in good season and without further incident.

CURED HIS COLIC.

The Curious Result of a Drummer's Mistake.

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A WITTY SPEECH.

Lord Dufferin Makes Some Observations On Books.

Lord Dufferin, addressing the Liberal associations conference at Belfast, Ireland, the other day, observed that a reverence for books even among the unlearned, was a feeling worthy of due cultivation, and those he addressed as its priesthood should be held in the greatest honor. Nor was the world of to-day indifferent to either of these sentiments. In every country in which he had resided he had found philobiblion societies and book collectors held in the highest esteem. Nay, he himself had sometimes been treated with unwonted honor merely because he was the happy owner of what was alleged to be the smallest book in the world, while many years ago he knew in Africa a young lady who was reputed a great heiress and was woed and triumphantly won in that capacity, though her sole fortune consisted of a rare, or rather unique, Egyptian manuscript. On the other hand, the absence of bibliographical knowledge had sometimes led to strange results. A non-literary, but obviously intelligent gentleman—a self-made man, in fact—having accidentally come across a copy of Shakespeare, ordered his bookseller to send down in his next parcel of new publications whatever fresh work might appear from the pen of the same author, as, in his opinion, he was a very entertaining fellow, while a continental capital was thrown into an uproar by one whom they all loved and revered enquiring whether her daughter, who was recovering from her confinement, had seen "Barchester Towers," for the whole afternoon was fruitlessly spent by chambermaids and aides-de-camp in a search for Dr. Towers, M. P. Had they known their Trollope properly they would not have mistaken the title of one of his novels for the name of some eminent physician on tour. Finally, Lord Dufferin gave a place to Dr. Garnett, of the British museum, who, he said, would far more adequately than himself inaugurate the proper business of the meeting.

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John Fullerton executed the deed and accepted the trust thereby created on the 27th day of August, 1894.

All persons indebted to the said Eli Beam are requested to pay such indebtedness forthwith to the said trustee and every person having any claim against the said Eli Beam must send proof and full particulars of same to the said trustee within one month from this date, after which date the said trustee will distribute the assets of the estate, having regard only to claims so sent in.

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NORTH BOUND READ DOWN. No. 2 Passenger Daily.	Dp.	8 00 A M	8 16	8 26	8 44	8 54	9 04	9 20	9 40	9 50	10 00	10 20	10 40	10 50	11 00	Ar.	11 45 A M
No. 4 Passenger Fri. Sat. & Sundays.	Dp.	3 30 P M	3 46	3 56	4 14	4 24	4 34	4 50	5 10	5 20	5 30	5 50	6 10	6 20	6 30	Ar.	7 15 P M

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No. 3 Passenger Fri. Sat. & Sundays.	Ar.	5 00 P M	4 50	4 40	4 34	4 24	4 14	3 54	3 44	3 34	3 24	3 04	2 44	2 34	2 24	Dp.	1 30

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The other day Mr. Aitken laid before the Royal Society of Edinburgh the result of fifteen thousand observations made in different parts of the world during the last few years. This is a monument of patient observation, unfortunately made in his search for health. It must be kept in mind that the greater number of dust particles found in the air the greater is the condensation of the vapor and the thicker is the atmosphere. The limit of visibility through the haze is thus determined. Mountains are fixed upon which are at known distances from the observer, say twenty, fifty and seventy miles. If the nearest mountain is just visible the limit is twenty; if half visible the limit is forty; if the third part only of the farthest mountain is visible, the limit of visibility is 210, and so on.

The observations were made at Kingairloch and Alford, in Scotland, and at Rigi Kulm, Switzerland. If these were absolutely correct, both as to the counting of the dust particles and the determination of the limit of visibility through the haze, then the product of the number of particles in a cubic inch, multiplied by the number representing the limit should be a constant. The nearer the perfect accuracy, the nearer is the constant thus determined to the average of the constants. For example, at Kingairloch, when the air was very dry (humidity from seven degrees to ten degrees), the number of dust particles per cubic inch was 23,680, when the limit of visibility was 100; therefore the constant (the product of these numbers) is 2,368,000.

Now the average for several hundreds of observations, when the limit of visibility varied from 13 to 250, was 2,250,048, which shows the closeness of the observations. Again, at Alford, with the same humidity, the mean of hundreds of observations brought out 1,998,736 as the constant; and at Rigi Kulm the constant was 1,987,376, a remarkably close figure indeed. This remarkable result is sufficient test of the accuracy of Mr. Aitken's observations in counting particles and in determining distances.—Gentleman's Magazine.

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MANITOBA SCHOOLS.

A Denominational Paper Commends Mr. Laurier's Stand.

On the occasion of Mr. Laurier's visit to the city of Winnipeg it was expected that the leader of the opposition could scarcely afford to ignore the question in politics which at one time was a very live provincial issue, but which has now outgrown local and assumed Dominion proportions, namely, our school bill. Mr. Laurier is a Frenchman, a Catholic and a Liberal. As a Frenchman and Catholic he might be supposed to think and feel one way and as a Liberal another way. As the friend of the local government and as the co-patriot of the great bulk of the dissentient school supporters he had between them a delicate task to perform. Now to be brief in our reference to what he said, let us express our great satisfaction that so far as we could see there was no evasion nor equivocation. He said that as to the right of the province to legislate according to its own mind and taste he was a firm believer; but that if, as was represented by the Catholics, the present public schools were or could be practically Protestant, and Catholics were required to attend such, a great injustice was being perpetrated. He said it was simply a matter of fact to be decided as such, and not a matter of law to be dragged into and through the courts.

These are not his words, but it is as he was understood to speak. The position is what the Northwest Baptist has taken all along, only with us there is no open question as to the facts of the case. On the principle which obtains with Catholic that what is not Catholic is Protestant the religious exercises made possible by the statute are Protestant when they are not distinctly Catholic. There is no use crying "non-sectarian." The Catholic must be the judge of his own conscience, and if he says "such and such religious exercises are contrary to my convictions, because they are non-Catholic," it is tyranny for any government, community or board to require or permit them. This is true not only of where Catholics are interested, but all round.

Mr. Laurier's words are a direct challenge to the local government to correct their school legislation in this respect and according to what was their first conception of fair play and even-handed justice. For ourselves, we re-state and re-pledge ourselves to the position that unless the school bill is amended, giving us purely secular schools, which alone lie within the province of a state, separate schools for Catholics and Protestants are to be preferred.—Northwest Baptist.

COSTA RICA DOGS.

They Bark Only After Being Taught To Do So.

A man who spent several years in Costa Rica with an engineer corps says: "They have the queerest dogs down there you ever heard of. When they have grown they are about the size of a shepherd dog, and look as if they were a cross between a wolf and a fox. They are of a light yellow color, and slouch along as if they suspected every one they met of having a tin can and intentions of fastening the same on to their tails. The queerest thing about the Costa Rica dogs is that if they live to be a thousand years old they cannot bark unless they are taught while they are puppies. They have to teach these dogs to bark down there just as some canary birds have to be taught to sing. When the puppies are about a week old the Indians—every person down there is an Indian, so called—take them and either put them with a dog that has learned to bark, so that they can hear him and imitate him by degrees, or bark the lessons to the puppies themselves. The latter is the surest and most satisfactory way to teach a Costa Rican dog to bark, because a dog down there that has mastered the voice that is natural to dogs elsewhere may not take it into his head to bark once in six months, and if the puppy does not receive any lessons in voice culture before he is six months old he will be mute for life. So the Indians usually make sure that their dogs will bark by giving the puppies lessons themselves. The funny thing about the teaching of these young dogs that they have a voice is that their instructors can teach them to bark in any tone. The eager puppy will imitate the sound his teacher emits, no matter whether it is a deep bass, a mellow baritone, a plaintive falsetto or a fiendish shriek or yell in no tone at all. So that you can well imagine that a family of Costa Rican dogs taught to sing after the various methods that the whims or inclinations of their teachers may dictate may be able to give a concert on a moonlight night which would startle a stranger when he first heard it. But these dogs are very necessary to the Indians, most of whom add materially to their meagre incomes by hunting the jaguar and the puma."

Inter-State Fair.

For the Inter-State Fair at Tacoma, the steamer City of Kingston has made a round trip rate of $5.70, including two admissions to the fair.

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HOW STATUES ARE MADE.

Modus Operandi of the Modern Sculptor Described.

Most people know, or imagine they know, the mechanical process required in painting, and in most of the other arts; but to the average person a mystery surrounds the mechanical as well as the artistic features of sculpture. The new magazine, The Monument, Sculptor, and Decorator, has in its initial number an article on the subject, which, if it does not reveal all the sacred mysteries of Phidias' art, does give one some idea how his successors go to work to enshrine their ideas in clay. We quote as follows:

"After the artist has got a clear idea of the thing he is going to do he makes a clay model or a 'sketch or study figure,' commonly about two feet in height, which is formed in potter's clay, and enables the artist to experiment with the action and draping of the figure, as the parts can be readily bent and pushed about—for, however clearly the image may be defined in the mind, as the work progresses modifications are suggested which tempt the artist to vary from the original conception. This preliminary study may engage his attention through several months, as upon it depends the composition and character of the full-size statue.

"Having completed the study figure, preparations are made for the larger work. We will assume that the statue is to be a male figure, of heroic size, standing in an easy, upright posture, and clothed with ordinary male attire. A low, strongly constructed bench—known as a 'banka'—is placed in a proper relation to the lighting of the studio. Upon this bench a somewhat rude but carefully constructed iron framework is erected, corresponding, in its general features, to the human skeleton, and consisting of an iron standard, firmly fastened at the top of the bench, and long enough to reach the top of the breast bone. A piece of stout lead pipe, long enough to nearly reach the crown of the head, is attached to the upper end of the standard, which enables the modeler to give the desired action to the head by bending the neck of the figure. A cross-piece of wood or iron is firmly fastened to the standard at the line of the shoulders, to either end of which is attached a piece of lead pipe representing the bones of the arms. A similar cross-piece is placed at the line of the hips, to one end of which is attached a piece of lead pipe, which serves as the bone of the leg, which may be slightly bent at the knee, and is also firmly fastened at the top of the bench; the iron standard, which is the main support of the figure, serving a similar purpose for the other limb. The lengths, positions and bending of these, several pieces must be determined with absolute accuracy, to keep the metal within the outline of the figure, and to avoid their interference with the modeling of the surface parts. From all parts of this framework a large number of small wooden crosses are suspended by copper wire, which serve as supports to the mass of clay which, in its plastic state, will settle and defeat the best efforts of the modeler. The soft clay is now firmly packed with the hands around the various parts of the skeleton, until the effigy begins to assume the proportions and outline of the human figure. The utmost care is required in placing the shoulders, hips, knee-joints, and other salient points, in their precise proper relation to each other, for not only the pose and proportions, but the success of the draping depends upon accuracy in these particulars. The figure is first modeled in a nude condition, and then the drapery is laid on, fold by fold, all being carefully reproduced from the preliminary sketch model, and improved by constant reference to real clothing worn by a living person employed for the purpose. During the progress of such a work, which may occupy the sculptor one or two years, the clay requires constant attention to avoid drying, settling, and cracking, and is kept in proper condition by a judicious sprinkling of water several times each day, and the immediate filling with fresh clay of every appearance of a crack.

"As soon as the statue is completed in clay, and while yet in a plastic condition, a mold is made over it with plaster of Paris, in a manner that admits of its being lifted away from the clay model in sections of convenient size. This process involves the destruction of the clay model, but a perfect matrix or mold is secured, into which fresh plaster is cast, and when this is sufficiently set, the mold is chipped off with chisel and mallet, leaving a perfect reproduction of the clay figure in pure white plaster. If the final work is to be in marble, the plaster cast is given over to an expert marble worker, who, by mechanical means, reduces the block of marble to a facsimile of the plaster. If the statue is to be in bronze, the model is placed in the hands of the bronze-founders."

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A Little Daughter

Of a Church of England minister cured of a distressing rash, by Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Mr. RICHARD BIRKS, the well-known Druggist, 207 McGill st., Montreal, P. Q., says:

I have sold Ayer's Family Medicines for 40 years, and have heard nothing but good said of them. I know of many

Wonderful Cures

performed by Ayer's Sarsaparilla, one in particular being that of a little daughter of a Church of England minister. The child was literally covered from head to foot with a red and exceedingly troublesome rash, from which she had suffered for two or three years, in spite of the best medical treatment available. Her father was in great distress about the case, and, at my recommendation, at last began to administer Ayer's Sarsaparilla, two bottles of which effected a complete cure, much to her relief and her father's delight. I am sure, were he here to-day, he would testify in the strongest terms as to the merits of

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MEETINGS TO BE HELD.

NOTICE

The Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Co'y.

The annual general meeting of the shareholders of this company will be held at the company's office, Victoria, on Wednesday, the third day of October next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated Victoria, September 1st, 1894.

CHAS. E. POOLEY,
S1-td Secretary.

NOTICE

The Union Colliery Company of British Columbia, Limited Liability.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the company will be held at the company's office, Victoria, on Wednesday, the third day of October next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated Victoria, September 1st, 1894.

CHAS E. POOLEY,
S1-td Secretary.

Mortgagee's Sale.

Under instructions from Alexander Urquhart, executor of Donald Urquhart deceased, the mortgagee, and in pursuance of the power of sale contained in a certain indenture of mortgage bearing date the 7th day of April, 1892, and made between John Leonard of Victoria city, B. C., of the one part and Donald Urquhart of Victoria city aforesaid of the other part, tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 12 o'clock noon on Friday, the 12th day of October, for the purchase of all that and those pieces or parcels of land situate in Victoria city known as sub-lots numbers (23) twenty-three, (24) twenty-four, (29) twenty-nine and (30) thirty, being a subdivision of section (24) twenty-four, according to a plan of sub-division of sections 24, 25, 26, and 27, Spring Ridge, deposited in the Land Registry Office, Victoria, numbered 360 and the dwelling house and buildings thereon. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Dated the 11th day of September, 1894.

S. PERRY MILLS,
46 Langley Street, Victoria, B. C.
Solicitor for Alexander Urquhart, executor of D. Urquhart, deceased. s11-1m

Queen City Building Loan and Saving Association.

The adjourned annual general meeting of the shareholders of the above association will be held in the Sir William Wallace Society's Hall, Broad street, on Saturday, the 29th September, 1894, at 8 p.m.

BUSINESS:

To receive the report of the Board of Directors and the statement of the Secretary; to elect officers for the ensuing year and the dispatch of such other business as may come before the meeting. By order.

B. WILLIAMS,
sep20-td Secretary.

BUSINESS CHANCE.

W. G. PRICE, Esq., late steward of the Union Club of this city, having purchased an undivided half interest in the saloon of the London Hotel is hereby acknowledged to be a full partner in said business from and after this date.

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Victoria, B. C., Sept. 10th, 1894.

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MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

TO OWNERS OF REAL PROPERTY.

Tax notices have this day been posted to all parties assessed for Real Property in the City of Victoria. If not delivered at residence, please call at postoffice for same.

CHAS. KENT,
City Collector's Office, Collector.
City Hall, August 28, 1894. aug29-1m

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Government Street, between Fort and Yates, and Yates Street between Government and Broad, are closed to public traffic.

E. A. WILMOT,
City Engineer.

Victoria, B. C., August 27th, 1894.

Notice to Water Consumers.

The attention of Consumers of Water supplied from the City Water Works is hereby drawn to sections 12 and 20 of the "Waterworks Regulation By-law, 1894," which provides that from the 15th day of April to the 15th day of September, both inclusive, in each year, no consumer of the water of the said Waterworks shall use such water for irrigating, except on the respective days hereinafter mentioned, namely:

In North Ward, on Mondays and Thursdays.

In Central Ward, on Tuesdays and Fridays, and

In South Ward, on Wednesdays and Saturdays.

If water is used for watering lawns or gardens at other than the time hereinbefore specified there shall be charged fifty cents additional for each infraction.

By order.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
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City Clerk's Office, Victoria, B. C., June 15th, 1894.

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Victoria Football Club Reorganizes for the Season—Other Sporting Events.

New Orleans, La., Sept. 27.—Professor Johnnie Duffie entered the ring of the Olympic club at 9:12 last night and announced that the night's contest was to be a 25-round bout for a purse of $5000 and the middleweight championship of the world between Robert Fitzsimmons, the present champion, and Dan Creedon of St. Louis, better known as from Australia at 158 pounds. The Marquis of Queensberry rules were to govern the fight and if both men were on their feet at the end of the 25th round, it would be a draw. Frank Carambat was announced as official timekeeper for the club. Creedon entered the ring at 9:15, accompanied by Tom Tracey, the welter weight champion, Mike Dunnand and Charlie Davis, who were to support him through the fight. He was followed quickly by Fitzsimmons dressed in ring costume of blue trunks with the American colors on his belt. The crowd went wild on the entrance of the champion and he bowed his acknowledgments repeatedly. He was accompanied by his seconds and the party crossed the ring to the lucky corner. Fitz was the first man to step on the scales and tipped an even 155 1-2. The crowd yelled frantically at this announcement of the weight. Creedon got on the scales and tipped them at 158. Prof. Duffie called the men to the centre of the ring and explained the conditions of the contest. Fitz ambled up easily with a broad smile on his face. As Creedon walked up, Fitz addressed some jocular remark which brought a smile to the face of Creedon. The rules were explained and the principals resumed their places. Time was called at 9:15:

First round—Creedon opened with his left but swung wild. He came back and touched Bob lightly with the left on the neck. Bob laughed and thumped his right hard on the jaw. Creedon got in on the stomach but Bob rapped him hard on the neck and chest. Bob landed right and left and staggered Creedon, repeating the blows with great rapidity. He hammered Creedon hard and often. The round closed with Creedon attempting an upper cut but going wild.

Second round—Creedon dodged a left-hand punch for the stomach. He got in one on Bob's ribs, but he caught Bob's left and right on the neck and head and a fearful left on the jaw flooring him. He waited for the nine to be counted before rising and Fitz stepped back and gave him plenty of time to get squarely on his feet. Creedon tried to get in close but Fitz met him squarely with a left in the chest and a terrible right-hand swing on the jaw. Creedon went back about 15 feet and Bob followed quickly and began to use his head for a punching bag. Creedon did not stand a ghost of a show and vainly essayed to swing his arms. He was bleeding from the nose and mouth. Fitz used his pile-driving left for the knockout. He drew back, sized-up the coveted landing place, and sent the blood-covered glove direct for the mouth. The blow landed with terrific force on the mouth. Creedon went down like a log and never stirred. Bob slowly strolled over to his corner and quietly observed to Dwyer, "He won't come back." Referee Duffie counted the ten and out and the crowd went perfectly wild with excitement. Pandemonium broke lose and the referee called vainly for quiet. Creedon's seconds jumped into the ring and carried their unconscious principal to his corner. The fight lasted just four minutes and forty seconds. It was fully five minutes before Creedon regained consciousness and he hardly realized where he was until long after the fight. After quiet was restored Fitzsimmons issued a challenge to Champion James Corbett for the world's heavyweight championship and $10,000 a side before any club in the country.

FOOTBALL.

VICTORIAS REORGANIZE.

At last evening's meeting of the Victoria Rugby football club, reorganization was effected for the season. H. B. Haines occupied the chair and there was a large attendance of players. The committee reported as follows:

"The committee in presenting the report for the season of 1893-4 beg to state that in many respects it was highly satisfactory to the club. Large attendances and much interest was maintained in the ordinary club practices throughout the season, in addition to which the club played ten outside matches, viz: Theree against the Royal Navy, two against Cowichan, two against the Nanaimo Hornets, one against Vancouver, one against Westminster, and one against the Multnomahs of Portland, Ore. Out of these ten matches the club won seven and lost three; the match against the Hornets, although lost, being decidedly in favor of the Victoria team.

"The Victoria club has the honor of having the only team which has crossed the champions' lines since their formation. It is worthy of note that the club lost only one match on Beacon Hill, and that by a single point; the defeats on foreign grounds can be traceable to the fact that the club was never represented in its full strength, owing to the lack of interest shown in foreign matches by some of the strongest player. Every player must bear in mind that it is almost useless to win the home matches if the club cannot secure the strongest players to uphold Victoria's honor on the foreign field, and in oredr to bring the championship to Victoria this coming season that the players selected by the committee should do their utmost to preserve the combination of the team both at home and abroad throughout the season.

"The past season saw the resuscitation of of the Provincial Rugby Union, the initial step toward which was taken by the Victoria club, and as a result three international matches were played in San Francisco in March, ending in British Columbia winning the championship of the Pacific Coast. As these international matches will in all probability be annual fixtures there ought now to be an additional incentive to players to work hard in order that they may have a chance of having the high honors of representing British Columbia. In consequence of the increased number of active members, the committee beg to suggest the advisability of forming an intermediate team with its own secretary-captain, this officer to be a member of the executive committee.

"Your committee hope that the Provincial Rugby Union will see its way clear to the securing of a trophy to be competed for annually among the different clubs of the league. In conclusion, the committee beg to thank the members for their kind support during the year."

A small deficit was shown by the financial statement but this was not considered unsatisfactory. Officers were elected as follows: President, W. A. Warts; captain, H. F. M. Jones; vice-captain, H. B. Haines; hon. sec-treas., John Fraser; committee, D. O'Sullivan, Cecil Ward, E. A. C. Gibson; captain and secretary of second fifteen, A. G. Anderson. There was a general discussion of matters of interest to the club. All those wishing to join are requested to send their names to John Fraser, P. O. Box 267. The first practice will be held on Saturday afternoon at the hill.

ASSOCIATION PLAYERS.

Yesterday afternoon the Navy defeated Victoria College by 4 to 1.

THE TURF.

JOCKEY CLUB STAKES.

London, Sept. 27—The race for the Jockey Club stakes of ten thousand was won by Isinglass, Governall second, Son-o'-mine third.

Brief Locals.

—A valuable cocker spaniel pup, owned by Mr. H. Howard, was run over and killed by one of the Fort street cars yesterday. Other gentlemen have similar complaints, the alleged cause being fast driving by the motormeers.

—Edward Costello, a boiler-maker, whose home was on James street, died of dropsy last evening after a lingering illness. He leaves a widow and seven children. Mr. Costello was long a resident of Victoria, and was aged 38 years.

—The steamer City of Puebla, which sailed this morning from San Francisco, has the following cabin passengers for Victoria: Miss Jettie Haight, E. W. Lillie, W. H. Dorman, Lieutenant Crawford, G. E. Booth, W. Hattery and F. Ritcher and wife.

—A little Miss named Eno is at the Driard. She arrived from the east last night expecting to meet her uncle, a Mr. Bock, but he was not at the boat. The police took her in charge and mine host Hartnagle of the Driard kindly agreed to look after her until her people are found.

—It is said that Percy Whittall left for the north on the steamer Danube last night. He told a friend that he had been grossly libeled by the Victoria papers, and that an attempt had been made to besmirch his reputation, but that he would get satisfaction. All who had injured him, he said, would answer in the courts.

—After being closed for the summer months the popular Adelphi cafe will be re-opened this evening. The kitchen has been placed in perfect order, and the service will be better, if possible, than ever before. A specialty will be made as usual of short orders, and the best steaks, chops and eggs that the market affords will be purchased.

—News has been received in San Francisco of the loss in the Arctic Ocean of the whaling bark Reindeer, owned by Captain James McKenna. He has been very unlucky with his whalers. This year he has lost the James Allen and the Reindeer, last year the Hunter returned empty and in 1892 two of his vessels were burned.

—A number of the aldermen and Mayor Teague will visit Elk Lake to-morrow. The matter of the watershed is receiving attention, and it is planned to make a trip over the land which it is thought will have to be purchased in order to properly protect the lake. It is believed that the correct idea of the situation can be had only by a personal visit to the ground.

—When Thomas and John Cooper had their smashup on Sunday afternoon in J. Parker's butcher cart someone made an interesting discovery in the debris, unearthing a quail, a hen pheasant and four cock pheasants, the bag of an afternoon's hunting. The game was turned over to the city police and in the police court this morning the Coopers were charged with an infraction of the game act. They were convicted and fined $25 each and costs. The fines were paid.

—Magistrate Macrae as one of the licensing commissioners has rendered a written judgment in the case of William Jensen's application for a license for the board of trade building. The judgment refuses the application on the ground that an application was made at the previous sitting of the court and refused. It is understood that Messrs. Drake, Jackson & Helmcken, who are acting for Mr. Jensen, intend applying for a mandamus compelling the commissioners to grant the license.

—Nomination for the vacant place in the school board left by the retirement of J. Stuart Yates were made at the market hall at noon to-day. Two names were offered for the electors to make a choice. James R. McKenzie, a carriage builder, was proposed by John Braden, M. P. P., and seconded by William Craft, and Edward A. Lewis, a painter, was proposed by H. F. Helsterman and seconded by C. N. Cameron. The election will take place on Monday next.

—Every facility is being given to those who desire to register on the Dominion voters' list. Mr. Archer Martin, who is a notary, will be at Sherk's store, corner of Fernwood road and Chatham street, at 8 o'clock Saturday evening, and the voters of Spring Ridge will be given a chance to register. Mr. George E. Powell, who is also a notary, will be at the Times office on Saturday night from 7 to 9 o'clock, and all who desire to get on the list can do so. No one need fail to register. In the near future the residents of James Bay, Victoria West and other districts will have a similar chance.

—Sing, the last Chinaman committed to Kamloops jail, is a leper sure enough. Yesterday afternoon a special committee of physicians, consisting of Drs. Davie, Powell and Hanington, visited the island accompanied by Goon Gan, Sing's employer, who did not believe that he had leprosy, George E. Powell, solicitor for Goon Gan, Dr. John Duncan, acting health officer, and others. A careful examination of the sufferer was made and the unanimous verdict was that he had the terrible disease. Sing was certain that he did not have it, and had refused to go near any of the lepers. He took the decision very hard, and until miles this side of the island, where the view from the returning steamer was cut off, the party could see his lonely figure standing on the shore. The settling of the question ends all talk of the damage suit proposed.

SCHOOL BOARD MEETING.

Leave of Absence Declined—Tenders Opened—The Coal Supply.

The school board are holding a special meeting at the office of Secretary Williams this afternoon, Chairman Hayward called the meeting to order. All the trustees are present.

Richard Hall wrote asking for certain insurance. The letter was received and filed.

Tenders for supplying automatic air valves for the North ward school were opened and referred, to be awarded to the lowest tenderer.

John Simpson, second assistant of the Collegiate Institute, wrote applying for leave of absence during October. Objection was raised to his going away at this particular time, and it was decided, on motion of Trustee Glover, seconded by Trustee Lovell, to decline to grant the leave of absence asked for.

The tenders for covering the pipes and boilers at the North ward school were opened. They were as follows: J. J. Russell, $200; G. Henderson, $240; J. Nott, $425 and John Calvert, $461. The contract is to be let to the lowest tenderer who complies with all of the conditions.

Principal Paul wrote giving a number of "wants" at the High school, including the repairing of the harmonium. It was referred to the supply committee with power to act.

City Clerk Dowler notified the board of the arrangements made for the school election on Monday. Received and filed.

It was decided not to change the boundaries of the district of the South Park school, but a transfer for sickness was permitted. Trustee Marchant said he believed the boundaries should be confined instead of extended, and that a boundary line should include all of a street and not half.

Trustee Saunders said he believed they would do well to buy their coal by the carload. It would be much cheaper, and they could have it delivered as desired. Trustee Lovell said that they would have to put in bunkers.

It was decided to buy a carload of nut coal as an experiment. It will be distributed to the different schools.

It was ordered that next Friday, "Children's Day" at the exhibition, be a school holiday.

The board was still in session at four o'clock.

Law Intelligence.

The following applications were disposed of in chambers this morning by Mr. Justice Drake:

Munro v. Beam—Application of plaintiffs for leave to sign final judgment under order XII. Order made.

Harrison v. Kelly and others—Application of plaintiffs for examination of defendant James Kelly as judgment debtor before registrar at Nanaimo. Order made. A. L. Belyea for applicant.

McLean v. Inland Construction and Development Co.—Applications of plaintiffs for leave to sign final judgment under order XIV. Summons dismissed defendant leave to defend. A. E. P. Irving for plaintiff; E. E. Wootton for defendants.

Courtney v. Weldon—Application under county court rules for judgment. Order made. R. Elliott for plaintiff; D. Murphy for defendant.

BIRTH.

HARRIS—In this city, on the 27th inst., the wife of Capt. C. I. Harris, of a son.

DIED.

COSTELLO—At No. 2 St. James street, city, after a lingering illness patiently borne, Edward Costello, boilermaker, aged 38 years, deeply regretted.

Forbear, dear friend, to mourn and weep,
While sweetly in the dust I sleep;
Mourn not for me, nor sorrow take
But love each other for my sake.

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MANAGER SANSFIELD KILLED.

Sad Accident at the Treadwell Mines in Alaska.

From papers brought down from Alaska by the steamer Chilcat it is learned that H. Sansfield, manager of the chlorination works of the Treadwell mine, Douglas Island, met with a tragic death at the works on September 12. The Alaska Mining Record of Juneau gives the following account of the accident: "Workmen were busy on Wednesday morning removing the brick lining of a tall chimney, and to inspect the work Mr. Sansfield stepped into the chimney through a hole cut into it at the base, neglecting to warn the man above him, who remained unconscious of his presence. Scarcely had he entered the place when a brick dropped from a point fifty feet above, striking him with terrible force on the side of the head, fracturing the skull. Mr. Stansfield remained unconscious in terrible agony for about two hours, being meanwhile removed to the hospital in this city, where he lingered until 6 o'clock, when death came to the relief of the sufferer. Mr. Stansfield was a native of Bolton, Lancashire, England, aged 67 years, and was a pioneer of California. He had been in charge of the chlorination works since January, 1890, and went to Treadwell from Nevada City, Cal., where his widow, son and step-son are now living. The remains were embalmed and shipped to his former home.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. Bolton left last night for Redding, California.

W. Lambert and wife left for Tacoma last night.

Mr. and Mrs. Darling, of Vancouver, are at the Driard.

Hon. D. W. and Mrs. Higgins have arrived safely at Halifax.

Robert E. Brett has arrived at Seattle on his way home from Toronto.

C. St. Clair Blackett and E. J. Palmer went to the Sound last night.

R. B. Rothchilds, of San Francisco, registered at the Driard last evening.

D. H. McDermott, of London, Ont., left for home over the Northern Pacific last night.

Thomas A. Graham, district passenger agent at Tacoma for the Southern Pacific, is in the city.

[illegible] a business trip and his family are visiting friends at Ashland, Ore.

A. A. Smith, John G. Savage and Chas. T. Trimen, of Wisconsin; A. G. School, of Pennsylvania, and Thomas Yocum and wife of New York, form a pleasure party at the Driard.

PASSENGERS.

Per steamer Rosalie from the Sound—T A Graham, V W Mitchell, F L Stevens, Mrs Cavin, Miss R Freedman, S J Freedman and wife, Miss Torsen, L W Wilson, Harvey and wife, Miss L McGovern, Mrs Varley and 5 children, Miss Maggie Glastine.

CONSIGNEES.

Per steamer Rosalie from the Sound—A B Erskine, W Wilson & Co, J Fullerton, G C Shaw & Co., Weller Bros, D H Ross & Co., Erskine Wall & Co., Speed Bros, John Wilson & Co., A Baskett, Maggie Glastine, J Boyd.

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